



## **LGBTQIA+ Rainbow Commission Agenda**

**Date:** May 16, 2024

**Time:** 6:30 pm

**Location:** Conducted by Hybrid Participation - Arlington Community Center  
HHS Conference Room and via Zoom

This will be a hybrid meeting. Individuals may choose one of the following in-person or virtual options:

Attend in person in the 2nd Floor HHS Conference Room at the Community Center (Senior Center), 20 Academy Street/27 Maple Street. Registration not required for in person attendance.

\*Notice to the Public on meeting privacy\* In the interests of preventing abuse of videoconferencing technology (i.e. Zoom Bombing) all participants, including members of the public, wishing to engage via the Zoom App must register for each meeting and will notice multi-step authentication protocols. Further, members of the public who wish to participate without providing their name may still do so by registering to receive the meeting info and using the telephone dial in information provided.

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Register in advance for this meeting:

<https://town-arlington-ma-us.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZ0pc-qrqzotG9YIL6oAm-QGvvqxib8A7nOh>

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting.

Please read Governor Baker's Executive Order Suspending Certain Provision of Open Meeting Law for more information regarding virtual public hearings and meetings:  
<https://www.mass.gov/doc/open-meeting-law-order-march-12-2020/download>

### **Agenda**

1. Remote Participation Statement and Guidelines

2. Land Acknowledgement
3. Review and approval of April 2024 Minutes
4. Consent Agenda
5. Co-Chair Updates (5 min)
6. Liaison Updates
  - a. Diversity, Equity & Inclusion (DEI)
  - b. Police Department (APD)
  - c. GSA/QSA-AHS/Ottoson/Gibbs
  - d. Library
  - e. Select Board
  - f. Council on Aging
7. Working Group Updates (15 min)
  - a. Education
  - b. Community Engagement
    - i. Upcoming events (see list below)
  - c. Town Systems & Policies
  - d. Communications
  - e. Budget
8. Focus Topics: Pride Update/Commissioner Recruitment (15 min)
9. Public Engagement and Open Commentary
10. Close and Next Meeting. June 20. 6:30pm, Hybrid.

*Upcoming Events (see upcoming Pride flyer):*

- [APS District-Wide Pride Celebration](#), May 18, 11am - 2pm, AHS
- Pride Bingo and Social, May 31, 7:30 - 9pm, Roasted Granola

Commission members not able to attend please email [dei@town.arlington.ma.us](mailto:dei@town.arlington.ma.us) prior to the scheduled meeting.

Anyone needing accessibility information or other assistance in order to attend this meeting should contact [dei@town.arlington.ma.us](mailto:dei@town.arlington.ma.us). This meeting is open to all interested individuals.